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### *District Munsifs' Courts in North Arcot*

* 533 Q.—SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI : கனம் உள் விவகார அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் தயவு செய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்கு பதிலளிப் பாரா—

(அ) வடாற்காடு மாவட்டத்திலுள்ள ஜில்லா முன்சீப் நீதி மன்றங் களில் ஓராண்டிற்குமேல் தீர்க்கப்படாமல் உள்ள வழக்குகள் எத்தனை ?

(ஆ) வழக்குகளை சீக்கிரம் பரிசீலிப்பதற்கு சர்க்கார் எடுத்துக்கொண்ட நடவடிக்கைகள் என்ன ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (*a*) The particulars are as follows :—

| *Courts* | | *Number of cases. for over year* |
|---|---|---|
| District Munsifs Court | Arni | 22 |
| Do. | Ranipet | 24 |
| Do. | Sholinghur | 11 |
| Do. | Tirupattur | 108 |
| Do. | Tiruvannamalai | 83 |
| Do. | Vellore | 187 |

(*b* )The pendency in the courts is being watched by the District Judge, North Arcot and periodical instructions are being issued by him for the speedy disposal of old suits.

Additional courts are functioning at Tirupattur and Vellore where the pendency is heavy.

### *Surgical Instruments Plant*

* 534 *Q.*—SRI A. VEDARATHNAM (on behalf of SRI N. K. PALANISAMI) : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether there is any proposal to set up a Surgical Instruments Plant near Madras City; and

(*b*) if so, the details thereof?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) & (*b*) Government of India have decided provisionally to set up a factory for the manufacture of Surgical Instruments near Madras and the details are being worked out.

* 536-A. *Q.*—SRI A. VEDARATHNAM : Will the Hon the Minister for Industries be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Russian Experts have selected any site near Madras for the establishment of a Surgical Instruments Factory;

(*b*) the arrangements made in this regard;

(*c*) the extent of Russian aid available; and

(*d*) the share of the State Government in this project?

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : (*a*) Yes, Sir.

(*b*) to (*d*) Details are being worked out.

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